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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

Small and competitor providers are crucial for the overall health of the internet. Limiting our choices to just ATT and Comcast would be a shame.

Fast internet is critical to my business, even though I mostly work out of my home office. Previously I was paying nearly \$200 for Comcast, with a high promise of speed which was underdelivered. Service was poor. And I was plagued with issues.

Now, I have a small competitor provider (SONIC) that delivers fiber to my home. It's over 5 times faster for downloading, my uploading is around 200 times faster, and my bill is \$60.

This is the model of the future. Do the right thing for the internet and consumers, and ensure we have choices and competition in the market.

Thank you kindly for your time and consideration and for doing the right thing.

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